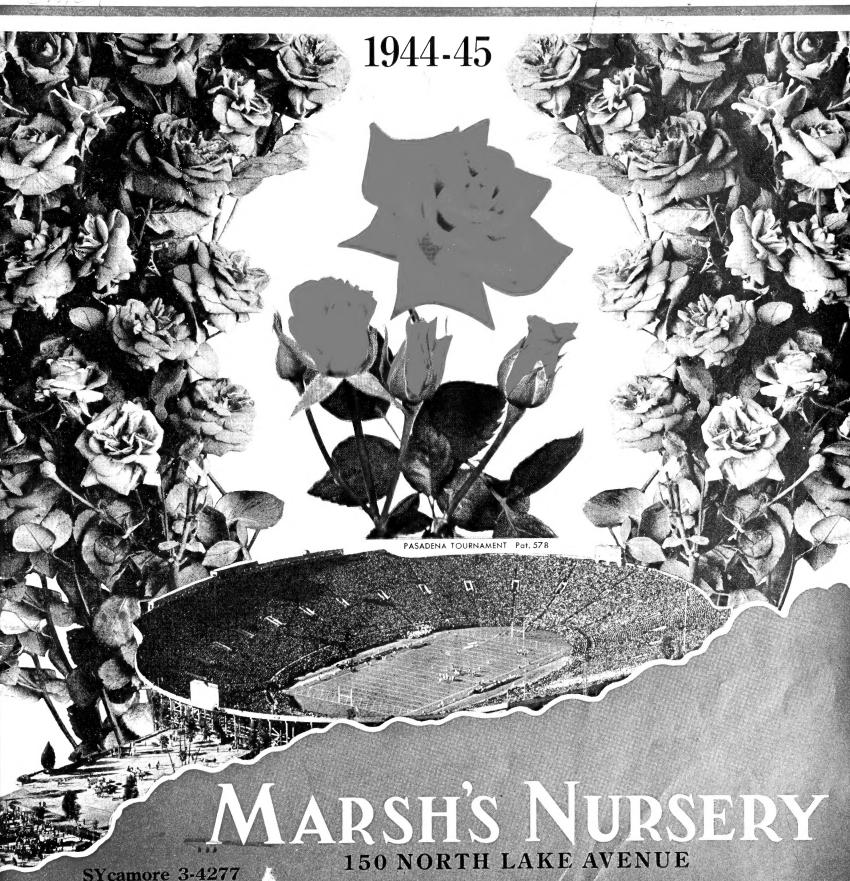
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SYcamore 3-4277 PASADENA 4, CALIFORNIA

"In the center of Pasadena"

# Fall and Spring Catalog 1944-45



### MARSH'S NURSERY

### In the Center of Pasadena

150 North Lake Ave., Pasadena, 4, Calif.

Telephone SYcamore 3-4277

# ROSES and SELECTED NURSERY STOCK

### Please Read Carefully Before Ordering

### **GUARANTEE OF INSPECTION:**

Our nursery is inspected regularly by the Los Angeles County Agricultural Commission and we have a certificate guaranteeing a clean bill of health for all our plants. All plants purchased from us can be delivered and planted without further inspection in Los Angeles County, however, shipments to other counties must be inspected at their destination.

We take great care in marking plants. If plants are mislabeled, we will be liable only to the purchase price or a replacement of the plant.

Due to government freezing order of cans most of the items that we used to carry in containers during the year will be limited. We ask your cooperation to buy items that can be bought Bare Root early.

#### SHIPPING:

We have specified some items as postpaid, in which case the price includes packing and shipping charges. Some bulbs, all bare root roses and fruit trees and perennials will be sent to destination west of the Rocky Mountains, prepaid when 15% of the order is included for this purpose. Shipments of bare root plants east of the Rocky Mountains will be sent prepaid if 25% of the order is included for shipping. Plants from heavy containers will be shipped Express Collect.

### **TERMS OF SALE**

Zones

Please send Cash with Order. We are obliged not to accept mail orders for less than \$1.00. Orders originating within the state of California require the payment of State Sales Tax by the purchaser. Please add  $2\frac{1}{2}\,\%$  for this purpose.

### APPROXIMATE WEIGHTS WHEN PACKED:

Gallon containers—Shrubs, 12 lbs.\*

5-gallon containers—Shrubs, 40 lbs.\*\*

**Roses** (bush and climbing)—1st rose, 2 lbs., each additional 1 lb. **Roses** (Standard or Tree)—5 lbs.

Fruit Trees (Bare root, January 1 to April 1)—1st Tree 5 lbs., each additional Tree 3 lbs.

Berries (except Strawberries)—12 plants 5 lbs. Strawberries—50 plants 3 lbs.

Citrus and Balled Ornamentals—50 lbs. each.

\* We have been successful in reducing the weight of gallon stock by removal of about 2 pounds of soil. This method is superior to the complete removal of all soil (bare root) on evergreen plants.

\*\* Five-gallon plants listed are very heavy and are intended mostly for our local trade. These may be shipped as is, or we can reduce the weight to 30 pounds but will not guarantee safe arrival.

### **Express Rates**

Shipping Weight		100 Miles	200 Miles	300 Miles	400 Miles	500 Miles	600 Miles
5 Pounds		\$0.35	\$0.40	\$0.40	\$0.45	\$0.45	\$0.55
10 Pounds		.40	.50	.50	.60	.60	.75
15 Pounds		.44	.54	.62	.69	.77	.83
20 Pounds		.50	.66	.75	.85	.95	1.04
25 Pounds		.60	.76	.89	1.02	1.14	1.25
35 Pounds		.76	1.00	1.17	1.34	1.51	1.67
55 Pounds		1.08	1.45	1.72	1.99	2.26	2.50
75 Pounds		1.40	1.90	2.27	2.64	3.01	3.34
Each 100 Pour	nds	1.70	2.36	2.85	3.35	3.84	4.28
	Add	3%Fede	ral Trans	portation	Tax.		

### Parcel Post Rates

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### Special Delivery Charges

For Special Delivery, allow following charges in addition to regular parcel post above and mark order "Special Delivery".

2 lbs. or less 15c; over 2 to 10 lbs. 25c; over 10 lbs. 35c.

## For Every Garden Plant These Better Plants

We are interested in your garden success for with your satisfaction our nursery business grows. During the 12 years since our establishment in Pasadena, we have been constantly distributing the best ornamentals and fruit trees obtainable. Another feature of our service to Pasadena has been our constant search for new and improved plants for your garden—unusual ones and those with special qualities that make your garden better than your neighbor's.

### **ROSES**

PASADENA TOURNAMENT (Pat. 578). One of the most outstanding roses of recent years. Our own introduction and praised highly by many of our customers. The tiny Cecile Brunner buds are deep red and fine form. Everblooming and thornless, you never need be without exquisite buds that are pleasingly fragrant. Open to large velvety dark red flowers. \$1.50 each, 3 for \$3.75, 12 for \$15.00.

**RED SWEETHEART** (Pat. 577). A companion for our Pasadena Tournament with slightly smaller buds and flowers. Free blooming. Vivid red buds open to deep rose-pink flowers about the same shade as a Mc-Gredy's Scarlet Rose. \$1.50 each, 3 for \$3.75.

**CL. CHRISTOPHER STONE** (Pat. 626). The extremely popular red flowers of Christopher Stone can now be had on a vigorous climber. It has wonderful foliage, strong growth and is very free flowering. Produces many canes directly from the base. A true climber. \$1.50 each, 3 for \$3.75, 12 for \$15.00.

**TRY THIS ONE.** A new unnamed rose. Red, very delightfully fragrant. See page 31 for an attractive prize for the customer who submits the name we select for this rose. Not for sale this year.

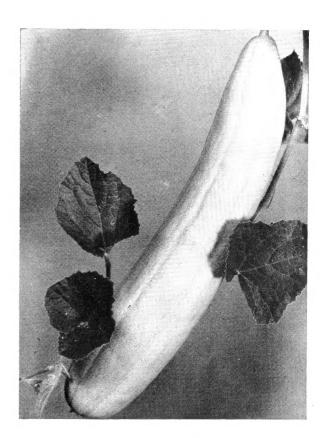
### FOR THE VEGETABLE GARDEN

**BRONZE ROMAINE.** As ornamental as purple cabbage. Makes neat tufts of very deep bronzy leaves. Very colorful in the garden—delectable as a salad vegetable. Easy to grow. Give the same treatment as Lettuce or regular Romaine. Pkt. 25c.

**HÉTÁ CUCUMBER** (Trade Mark). An easily grown cucumber producing long, smooth, spineless fruits perfectly edible even when 18 inches long. The skin is a pleasing light green color and so thin that peeling is unnecessary. Flesh white, crisp and sweeter than that of ordinary cucumbers and causes no gastric disturbances whatever. Pkt. 25c.



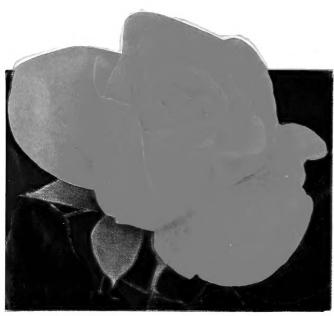
 ${\bf BRONZE\ ROMAINE}$  A colorful tasty plant. Distinctive from the Green Romaine.



CUCUMBER HÉTÁ (Trade Mark)



RED SWEETHEART (Pat. 577)



MME. HENRI GUILLOT (Pat. 337)

# Sweetheart of the Yarden

## Red Sweetheart

Carmine red buds opening to rose red blooms. The flowers are slightly smaller than those of Pasadena Tournament when fully open. In many ways the lighter color of Red Sweetheart is appropriate for many occasions where less color display is desired. The buds make exquisite corsages, boutonnieres. Small, daintier bouquets are delightful with Red Sweetheart.

In cooler weather the color is deeper and richer. Red Sweetheart in the garden will produce very well formed buds that are brighter than the popular florist's Sweetheart roses and the dainty, tiny buds, almost completely devoid of thorns are easily picked.

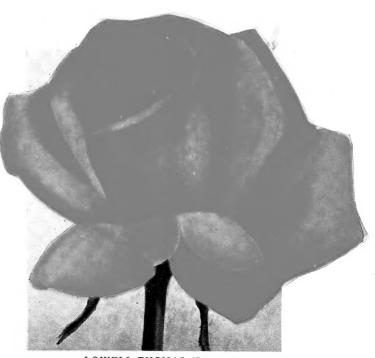
Bushes of Red Sweetheart seldom exceed 3 feet, more commonly  $2-2\frac{1}{2}$  feet in height, making a compact, neat bush. It can be planted in front of Pasadena Tournament for special efects.

Each \$1.50, 3 for \$3.75, Doz. for \$15.00

These two outstanding roses are available in Tree form

RED SWEETHEART PASADENA TOURNAMENT

\$3.50 each



LOWELL THOMAS (Pat. 595)



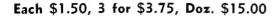
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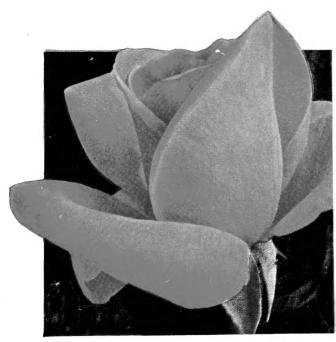
We are enthusiastic over this Red rose and many of our customers from all over the country are equally proud of it. The "Rose of very Day", is truly a rose giving quantities of lovely flowers every day of the blooming season. In California it blooms equally well the year around. For a table centerpiece, or to cheer up a sick friend, just use a large bouquet made exclusively of this rose and the delight shown upon presentation will be remembered always.

The name, "Pasadena Tournament" has a counterpart in the Tournament of Roses, the famous Football pageant annually held, until the war, in Pasadena. From the small, dainty red buds come regular size velvety red flowers, literally bursting into a glorious pageant of rose beauty.

In the garden Pasadena Tournament makes a compact small to medium size bush. Well clothed in good rich green foliage. Since it is almost completely thornless, it can be used in masses close to walks without the damage of torn clothing. Dainty in every way, it is best placed where it can be easily admired.

Our customers in hot areas of California and elsewhere, tell us of its wonderful behavior in their gardens, saying it performs equal to or better than other standard varieties for warm climates. . . .

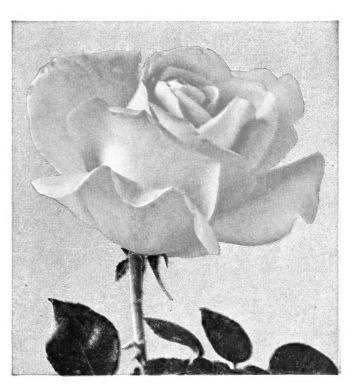




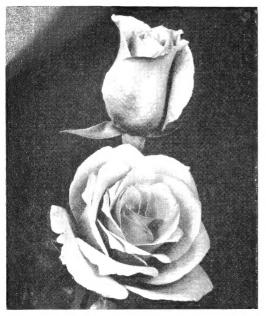
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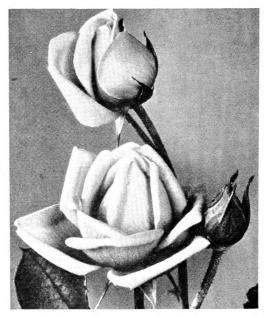


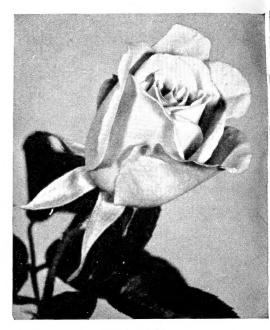
PASADENA TOURNAMENT (Pat. 578)



THE DOCTOR







CHARLOTTE

McGREDY'S YELLOW

SISTER THERESE

### BUSH ROSES

### CHARLOTTE

Similar to Picture in many ways, Charlotte shows better foliage and is a much better bloomer. The lovely double pink flowers come from small pointed buds. We are sure you will like it.

Each, \$1.00.

### GENERAL LIST

No. 1 Roses, 90c each; \$8.50 for 10.

**Autumn.** Handsome buds of burnt orange, open flowers heavily suffused with russet-brown and bronzy-red on a background of rich yellow, reminiscent of autumn foliage colors.

**Cecile Brunner.** Tiny flowers. Buds pink shaded to salmon. Always in bloom. This rose, with our Pasadena Tournament and Red Sweetheart are three of a kind, very different from the usual large flowered roses.

**Christopher Stone.** One of the finest red roses. Brilliant crimson-scarlet becoming deeper as the flower ages. Does not "blue" or fade in heat.

Dainty Bess. A dainty single rose, five delicate pink petals, surrounding a bunch of wine colored stamens. Last well when cut, continuously in bloom.

**Duquesa de Penaranda.** Orange-apricot with deeper coppery tones. Huge pointed buds, quite double, sweetly fragrant and long lasting when cut. A dependable garden rose.

**Etoile de Hollande.** Popular red rose with perfect buds of medium size opening to glorious flowers of brilliant red. Very fragrant and non-fading. Healthy free branching bush.

**Feu Joseph Looymans.** Long slim buff yellow buds shaded with glowing old gold and apricot. A good bloomer with fine mildew free foliage. Does best if allowed to develop.

**Frau Karl Druschki.** Large well-shaped ivory-white blooms and glossy foliage, has kept this variety in favor for many years.

**General MacArthur.** Very fragrant large fully double flowers of scarlet. Free branching bush.

**Golden Rapture.** Glowing rich yellow, seldom fading. Mild pleasant fragrance. Produces perfectly formed buds. Excellent deep green foliage. A fine yellow rose.

**Hadley.** An old favorite with brilliant rich crimson flowers and buds on long stiff stems. Richly fragrant. A must for all rose gardens.

**Hinrich Gaede.** A multicolor rose of extremely fine merit. The combination of colors may change with the season, but generally orange-scarlet, copper-orange and vermilion appear in the bud and flower. Rich fragrance.

**Hoosier Beauty.** Popular brilliant crimson flowers, veined maroon. Petals velvety, do not fade.

**Isobel.** Large single flowers of carmine red and orange fading to pink. Strong growing and profuse in bloom.

Innocence. Large, single, snow white blooms befitting the name in purity. Amber stamens in the center make a delightful contrast. Spicy fragrance.

**Irish Charm.** Blush pink flowers in great profusion. Flowers of medium size, from charming buds.

J. Otto Thilow. Long buds of deep pink. Heavy full petaled high centered flowers. Delightful color and fragrance.

K. A. Victoria. Popular old favorite white rose. Blooms freely and continuously. Beautiful buds and full flowers of pure ivory white.

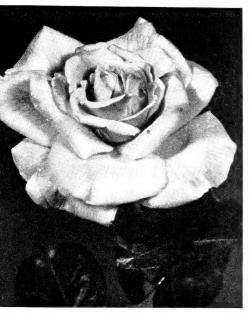
**Lady Forteviot.** Long golden yellow buds streaked with red opening to burnished gold. Resembles Golden Emblem, but habit of growth is more robust.

**Lulu.** Dainty long slender buds of coral-apricot cover the bush at all times. Low, bushy vigorous bloomer. Very fine, single, excellent for cutting.

**McGredy's Ivory.** Creamy ivory-white buds, becoming clear white as the flower opens. Occasionally flowers will assume a faint pink flush in cool weather. Delicate fragrance and perfect flowers.

McGredy's Yellow. Medium-size buds of beautiful form, are a lovely shade of buttercup yellow. Stands heat well without fading. Foliage deep green, holly-like.

Mrs. E. P. Thom. Clear canary-yellow buds and double flowers, together with ruddy green foliage, so disease resistant, has kept the popularity of this rose since 1926.







AUTUMN

PINK DAWN

TALISMAN

**Mrs. Pierre S. DuPont.** Stiff érect stems supporting medium-size golden yellow buds. Heavily fragrant. Luxuriant, glossy green foliage.

**Night.** Deep crimson, shaded with black and maroon. Good form and spicy fragrance. Flowers best in cooler weather.

**Picture.** One of the best roses of all. Perfectly formed buds and flowers. Lovely warm pink with undertones of salmon. Sweetly tea-scented. Healthy and free-flowering.

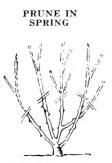
**Pink Dawn.** Rich pink high-centered flowers make really lasting cut flowers. Popular vigorous bush.

**Pres. Herbert Hoover.** One of the best multicolored roses, combining many shades and tones of cerise, pink, flame, scarlet and yellow. Slow opening and deliciously fragrant.

### PLANTING INSTRUCTIONS

Roses do best in sunny location. They will do well in most any good garden soil. As a fertilizer, when planting give generous application, about one pound, of Bonemeal placed in the bottom of the planting hole with some barnyard manure. This fertilizer is forked in thoroughly so that the enriched soil contains no pure fertilizer—all being well mixed. The planting hole should be dug at least one foot wider than the normal spread of roots. Be sure soil is packed carefully in and among the roots, after they have been spread in a natural manner—not crowded together.

All roses are shipped ready to plant. No pruning is necessary. Blood meal on Pasadena Tournament and Red Sweetheart is recommended to produce smaller and daintier buds.



NORTH 12 to 18 in. SOUTH 18 to 24 in. above ground level.



Late in winter apply 6" of leaves held in place with a wire net or evergreen boughs.



**Red Talisman.** Red sport of the favorite Talisman. A good deep red, with Talisman buds.

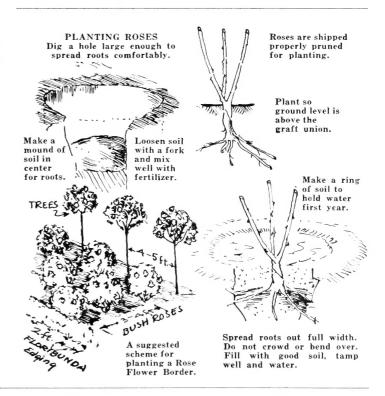
**Sister Therese.** Fragrant chrome yellow flowers, tinged with carmine, open to clear golden yellow. Free branching, strong-growing, with good, leathery bright green foliage.

**Southport.** Long slender buds and lovely open flowers of brilliant scarlet. Good size and fragrant, the color is one of the best under artificial light.

**Talisman.** So well known as to hardly need a description is this popular multicolor rose. Exquisite buds freely produced, brilliantly colored orange-scarlet and golden yellow.

Victoria Harrington. A magnificent dark red rose. Buds long, perfectly formed. Flowers with spicy fragrance. One of the finest reds.

Ville de Paris. Open flowers are cup-shaped, with delicious tea fragrance. Clear sunflower yellow. Foliage glossy, deep green.



## For Descriptions and Prices of Patented Roses, See Page 10



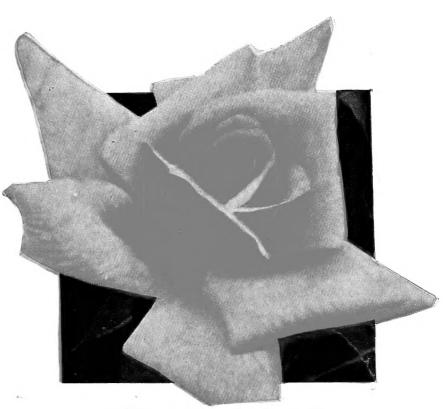
GRAND DUCHESS CHARLOTTE (Prop. Rights Reserved, C-P Co.)



MIRANDY (Copyright 1944, Armstrong Nurseries)



ECLIPSE (Pat. No. 172)



COUNTESS VANDAL (Plant Pat. No. 38)

### Climbing Christopher Stone



Thrifty young plants will make excellent blooms in the garden.

PATENT 626

The much sought after form of Christopher Stone meets all the qualifications one would expect to have from this superb rose.

This plant has all the fine qualities of the bush form, lovely crimson scarlet flowers in abundance. It makes an excellent sturdy climber, well clothed in rich green foliage.

Of the few red climbers in existence, we feel Climbing Christopher Stone is the best.

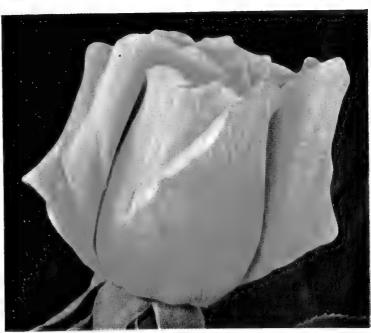
Each, \$1.50; 3 for \$3.75.



CLIMBING CHRISTOPHER STONE



HEART'S DESIRE



MME. CHIANG KAI-SHEK (Plant Patent applied for)

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### NOVELTY AND PATENTED BUSH ROSES



TEXAS CENTENNIAL

**Angels Mateu** (Pat. 174). Glorious, big double blooms of attractive form, varying in color from orange-old rose to a rich salmon-coral. Sturdy bush with mildew resistant foliage. \$1.00.

**Apricot Queen** (Pat. 464). Rich deep salmon-apricot with beautiful tints of orange-yellow at the base. The buds, perfect in form, have ruffled petals. Delightfully fragrant. \$1.25.

California (Pat. 449). One of the finest for southern California. In the full sunshine and rich soil of California this rose is aptly named. Enormous flowers of ruddy orange toned with saffronyellow. \$1.50.

**Charlotte Armstrong** (Pat. 455). This rose of recent introduction is receiving wider popularity generally upon merit alone. Flowers cerise and pink verging on red. A strong vigorous free-branching habit. Produces many flowers for cutting. \$1.50.

**Contrast.** One of the few unique bicolored roses. Inside of petals light straw color, with reverse orange-rose to china pink. Very lovely as the petals fold over showing the contrasting reverse. Splendid for cutting. \$1.00.

**Countess Vandal** (Pat. 38). Long tapering buds of salmon-pink richly shaded copper-gold open into lovely long-stemmed fragrant blooms. Excellent for cutting in all weather. \$1.25.

**Douglas MacArthur** (Pat. applied for). Large, long-pointed buds opening to full high centered and long lasting flowers. Delft rose slightly bronze at the base of petals. Vigorous upright bush continuously producing long-stemmed flowers. \$1.50.

**Eclipse** (Pat. 172). Exceptionally long pointed pale yellow buds often two inches long. Mildly fragrant but continuously in bloom. Open flowers with only a few petals. \$1.25.

**Floradora.** New, delightful, and brilliantly colored polyantha. Bright orange-red flowers. Supplies a needed color in this group of bedding roses. (Pat. applied for.)

Fred Edmunds (Prop. rights reserved). Beautiful buds of burntorange open to lasting blooms of reddish apricot blended with rose, gold and salmon. A very vigorous free-blooming rose. \$2.00.

**Grand Duchesse Charlotte** (Pat. rights reserved). Buds a rich claret red changing as the flower opens to a lovely begonia rose. Richly fragrant and unusual in color. \$1.50.

Heart's Desire (Pat. 501). All America Winner in 1942. Long-pointed buds of bright red are exquisite and open to gorgeous red blooms. Extremely fragrant. Keeps well when cut. \$1.50.

**Lowell Thomas** (Pat. 595). Very double high centered flowers of a lasting canary yellow. Large long-pointed buds. Vigorous compact bush of upright habit and leathery foliage. \$2.00.

Mark Sullivan. Very colorful glowing blooms, average 4 to  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inches across. Golden yellow heavily veined and shaded with deep rose-pink and cerise. \$1.25.

Mme. Chiang Kai-Shek (Pat. applied for). Buds large, long-pointed opening to long-lasting very large flowers of Empire yellow fading to lemon yellow as the flower matures. Excellent leathery, glossy dark green foliage covers this vigorous bush. \$2.00.

Mme. Henri Guillot (Pat. 337). Long shapely buds of orange-red and rose opening to camellia-like blooms of rich raspberry pink with a suffusion of gold. \$1.25.

Mme. Marie Curie (Pat. applied for). This free flowering variety came out of France before war prohibited its export and has proven such a fine rose that it was awarded third place in the All-America Rose Selections. Tall and bushy growth with orange buds opening to medium size golden yellow flowers. \$1.50.

Mirandy (Pat. applied for). Winner of All-America Rose Selections 1944. A fully double deep red rose from nicely pointed buds. Open flowers high-centered, excellent form, especially in cooler weather. \$2.50.

Pasadena Tournament (Pat. 578). One of the most outstanding roses of recent years. Our own introduction and praised highly by many of our customers. The tiny Cecil Brunner buds are deep red, useful for corsages, and open to good sized deep red flowers of fine form. Everblooming and thornless, you need never be without these exquisite buds. The cut buds are pleasingly fragrant. \$1.50, 3 for \$3.75, doz. \$15.00.

**Poinsettia.** A dazzling brilliant red rose. High centered buds and velvety texture combined with the brilliant color make the flowers practically glow on the bush. Long stems, excellent for cutting. \$1.00.

Ramon Bach (Pat. 366). Large rich peach colored flowers from apricot-buff buds. Fully double. Open blooms show a touch of salmon pink on the inside. Delicious fruit-like fragrance. \$1.00.

**Red Sweetheart** (Pat. 577). A companion rose for our Pasadena Tournament with slightly smaller buds and flowers. Free blooming. Vivid red buds opening to deep rose-pink flowers about the same shade as a McGredy's Scarlet rose. \$1.50.

Santa Anita (Pat. rights reserved). Produces quantities of perfect flowers. Lovely clear pink, excellent for cutting. \$1.00.

**Texas Centennial** (Pat. 162). Tall vigorous strong canes of Pres. Hoover, but with magnificent full buds opening to carmine-red flowers, which in cooler weather are deeper in color. \$1.00.

**The Doctor.** An enormous large-petalled pink rose. Exquisite silver-pink, fragrant. A little extra attention in the garden will insure a good production of flowers. \$1.00.

### CLIMBING ROSES

No. 1 Roses, \$1.00 each, except where noted.

**Belle of Portugal.** A vigorous climbing rose so useful for covering walls and arbors where the beautiful salmon-pink flowers of gigantic size make a show of color from January to May.

**CI. Cecile Brunner.** Miniature buds and perfect small flowers literally cover this popular climbing Polyantha. Everblooming. Fine, dense foliage.

**CI. Christopher Stone** (Pat. 626). We are introducing this beautiful red climbing form of Christopher Stone, popular everywhere as one of the finest red roses. Crimson scarlet roses of the same form are freely produced on a sturdy vine with excellent foliage. \$1.50 each.

**CI. Condesa De Sastago.** Combination of rich orange-red, gold, and yellow, with glossy foliage make an exquisite show of color.

**CI. Dainty Bess.** All the charm of Dainty Bess—single, delicate pink with deep wine stamens—in profusion, make this one of the best climbing roses for trellises and fences.

**Cl. Duquesa de Penaranda.** An intriguing apricot-pink. Vigorous habit with excellent foliage.

**CI. Etoile de Hollande.** Fine red buds by some considered even better than the bush type. Foliage good, flowers delicately fragrant.

**CI. Hadley.** Velvety-red buds on long stems. Very freely produced from March to December. Pleasingly fragrant.

Cl. Heart's Desire (Pat. Applied for). Large, fragrant, deep red roses, same as the bush type, now available in a climbing form. \$2.00 each.

**CI.** McGredy's Yellow. Fully double flowers of buttercup yellow set against heavy deep green foliage.

**CI. Mme. Henri Guillot** (Pat. Applied for). Shapely long buds colored orange-red and rose opening to large camellia-like flowers. Rich raspberry red suffused with gold. \$2.00 each.

**Cl. Mrs. E. P. Thom.** A vigorous climber with quantities of perfect yellow buds of flawless quality.

Paul's Scarlet Climber. Intensely vivid semi-double flowers of bright scarlet, freely produced in clusters. Makes a mass of showy bloom.

**CI. Pres. Hoover.** Free blooming, multicolored in pink, red, yellow and buff. Perfect in form on long stems for cutting.

Cl. Red Talisman. Glorious Talisman buds in deep red.

**CI. Talisman.** For trellis, fence or arbor, the old favorite Talisman in climbing form will make a most pleasing sight. Red and gold, free-flowering.

CI. Victoria Harrington. A climbing form of the beautiful bush rose—magnificent dark red long-pointed perfectly formed and spicily scented as bush.

**CI. Yellow Cecile Brunner.** Small dainty yellow flowers in great profusion. Strong growing vine.

### MARSH'S TREE ROSES



### GENERAL LIST OF TREE ROSES

\$3.00 each, 10 for \$21.50, except where noted otherwise. Established in  $3\frac{1}{2}$ -gal. containers, \$3.50 each.

**Autumn.** Burnt orange suffused russet brown and bronzy-red. **Christopher Stone.** Blazing crimson with velvety glow.

Condesa de Sastago. Glowing orange scarlet, bright yellow on the outside.

**Duquesa de Penaranda.** Orange-apricot with deeper coppery tones. **Etoile de Hollande.** Fragrant, glorious bright red.

Hadley. Rich crimson flowers and buds. Rich orange.

Hinrich Gaede. Fragrant multicolor, scarlet, orange and vermilion.

J. Otto Thilow. Delightful deep pink fragrant flowers.

K. A. Victoria. Popular old favorite. Pure ivory white.

**Los Angeles.** Flame pink shaded gold and yellow. Free blooming. **Lulu.** Slender buds, coral pink, semi-double.

McGredy's Ivory. Ivory buds, large white flowers.

McGredy's Yellow. Clear clean yellow.

Mrs. P. S. DuPont. Golden yellow. Excellent form.

Mrs. Sam McGredy. Copper orange flushed with red. Fragrant.

Pasadena Tournament (Pat. 578). Cecile Brunner type, perfect Sweetheart buds, deep red, opening to good size red flowers. \$3.50.

Picture. Rich pink. Perfect buds and flowers.

Pres. Hoover. Shades of cerise, pink, flame, scarlet and yellow. Red Sweetheart (Pat. 577). Like Pasadena Tournament except for color, which is a deep pink. Red in cooler weather. \$3.50.

Rose Marie. Dark rose pink, beautifully veined. Fragrant.

Southport. Large fragrant brilliant scarlet.

Talisman. Very popular multicolor; orange scarlet and golden yellow.

The Doctor. Glowing pink. Buds excellent.

Victoria Harrington. Magnificent dark red. Spicy fragrance.

Villa de Paris. Clear sunflower yellow. Tea fragrance.



INDICA AZALEA, PAUL SCHAME

### INDICA AZALEAS

Indica Azaleas. We have specialized in this group of Azaleas. Our stock is of exceptional quality, bear large quantities of large showy flowers, 3 to 3½ inches across, some single, others double in delicate colors. The foliage is glossy, lively green, lasting well throughout the year. Main period of bloom from Christmas until Easter.

Plant in peat with good drainage and be sure they get plenty of moisture. Planting holes should be made several times larger than the container and filled with soil made of at least half peat moss and half good garden soil. Use acid fertilizer only, avoiding any lime in water or fertilizer. Acidity can be kept up by applications of soil sulfur or alum.

#### 6-inch pots, \$2.00.

Charles Encke. Large single flowers, variegated pink and white.

Erie. Very double flowers. Pink and white variegated.

Mme. Vandercruyssen. Large double flowers clear salmon pink.

Paul Schame. Most popular of all indica azaleas. The large double salmon-pink flowers are a pure clear color. Very showy when in bloom.

Pink Pearl. Pale delicate pink. Large flowers.

Prof. Walters. Large ruffled flowers pink and white.

**Rosiflora.** Double flowers of deep salmon-pink, very much like Cecil Brunner roses.

Snowdrift. Semi-double flowers of pure glistening white.

Vervaeneane. Double rose pink flowers edged with white.

Vervaeneane alba. Flowers pure white.

### KURUME AZALEAS

**Kurume Azaleas.** Smaller flowers but in great quantities in early spring. Kurumes are very showy plants for shady gardens. Quite often the rains will threaten the bloom but they are a hard lot and quickly recover.

#### 6-inch pots, \$1.50.

Apple Blossoms. Single pale pink flowers flaked with rose.

Angelica. Large rose pink.

Brilliant. Bright red.

Bells of Arcady. Large single flowers in a delightful shade of lavender. Very similar to Kurumes in form.

Coral Bells. Double rose pink flowers, very profuse.

Firefly. Small salmon colored flowers.

Pheasant. Large, single purple blooms.

Pagoda. Large lilac pink flowers.

Seraphim. Double, two shades of delicate pink.

Terra Cotta. Brick red.

Many other varieties at the Nursery.

Potted Azaleas in full bloom are very fine as gift plants.

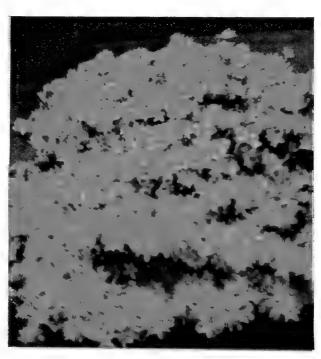
### **GOLD DUST PLANT**

Aucuba japonica variegata, Gold Dust Plant. Best in shaded gardens where the large heavy leaves with golden spots on the surface make it excellent for use as an accent. Does well in tubs and pots. Hardy. 5-gal. \$2.50; gal., 75c.

### **BOUVARDIAS**

Bouvardia Albatross, Giant White Bouvardia. Popular flowers for corsages. Handsome low growing shrub with spreading slender branches and deep green glossy leaves and fragrant tubular white flowers with four flaring petals. Much longer and larger than the common Bouvardia. 1-gal., \$1.00.

**Bouvardia Coral Red.** Flowers a rich coral red, very pretty in good size clusters, but without fragrance. 1-gal., \$1.00.



KURUME AZALEA

### MARSH'S CAMELLIAS

### RARE AND UNUSUAL VARIETIES

Camellias have become very popular in the last few years, for these ornamental evergreen shrubs have exquisitely beautiful flowers during the winter and spring. Contrary to most plants, camellias never get old and worn out, instead they become more valuable as they get larger.

They are easy to grow in a shady, sheltered location; an acid soil with good drainage in which generous quantities of leaf mold or peat have been added. They require generous amounts of water during the growing season, but they should never become stagnant for lack of drainage. Withhold water and fertilizer during the dormant season when the flowers appear.

**Alba plena.** One of the finest pure white double camellias. Formalshaped, fully double, early—a beautiful and delicate flower. Makes a symmetrical plant. 5-gal., \$6.00; gal., \$3.00.

Alexander Nowlin. Very double, formal flowers of tomato-red with white flecks. 5-gal., \$6.00.

**Aloha.** A most magnificent large full peony-type Camellia. The color is dark salmon-rose and very striking, Gal., \$3.00.

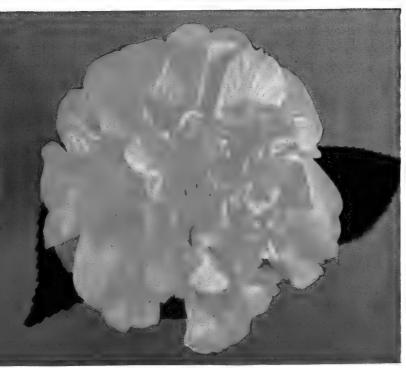
**Belle Romana.** Large light pink double flowers, profusely striped, splashed and penciled with crimson. Vigorous and free-flowering. 5-gal., \$5.50; gal., \$2.75.

**Blood of China.** Since the war, this lovely large dark red peony type camellia has received a great deal of publicity. Sought after by collectors everywhere, often at many times our price, it is worth a place in every garden. Gal., \$4.00.

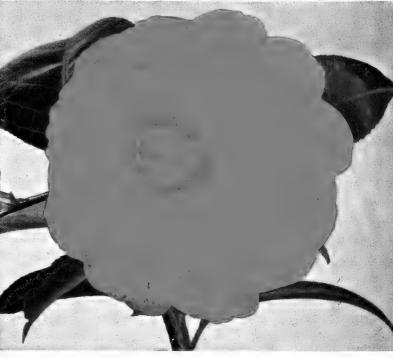
Caprice. Double creamy white flowers, 4-5 inches across, with texture of Gardenia. Bushy shrub with excellent deep green foliage. Gal., \$2.75; 5-gal., \$6.00.

**Chandleri elegans.** Most popular of the peony-flowered camellias. Soft rose with center of tightly curled petals. Flowers are variously marked with white, making a soft and interesting contrast on the large flowers. 5-gal., \$6.00; gal., \$2.75.

**Cheerful.** A good companion to Pink Perfection for beginners with camellias. Flowers about the same size, but a deeper pink and farther north where the climate is cooler it approaches a deep bright cherry red. Fully double but showing a few yellow stamens in the center. Late and profuse in bloom. 5-gal., \$4.50; gal., \$1.50.



CAMELLIA KUMASKA



CAMELLIA COLONEL FIREY

**Chiffon.** Single clear pink flowers. A free blooming very choice camellia. 5-gal., \$6.50.

C. M. Hovey. Also known as Julia Drayton. Very large red camellia, semi-double with golden stamens standing in a stiff central column. Spectacular, fast-growing and free blooming. Gal., \$3.50.

**Colonel Firey.** Very popular red camelia—deep bright red with many petals arranged close together, making a flat-topped exquisitely symmetrical flower. 5-gal., \$6.50; gal., \$3.50.

**Covina.** Medium size flowers fully double. Bright pink. A bushy, free-flowering shrub often used in tubs or large pots. 5-gal., \$4.00; gal., \$1.50.

**Daikagura.** A beautiful peony-shaped flower, deep rose, splotched with white. Central petals twisted and curled. One of the first to bloom. 5-gal., \$5.00; gal., \$2.00.

**Daikagura Red.** Clear deep rose red; flowers brilliant and cleancut. Same characteristics of foliage, flower shape and blooming season as Daikagura. Gal., \$2.75.

**Della Robbia** (Meridith Lake). Exquisite flowers; white with a pale lilac overtone. Semi-double, of moderate size and Gardenia-like texture. Unusual and choice. Gal., \$3.00.

**Dixie.** Large flowered formal flowers of rose-pink. Has a remarkably long season of bloom. 5-gal., \$5.00.

**Donklaeri.** Very free flowering. Large petalled, double Camellia. Deep cherry-red, marbled with pure white. Intense unfading color. Shows contrasting golden stamens in center. 5-gal., \$6.00; gal., \$2.25.

**Elena Nobile.** Unique flame-red double camellia. Free-growing and late flowering. Open flowers show a few golden stamens. 5-gal., \$6.50; gal., \$2.50.

Ella Drayton. Beautiful deep red, formal and fully double. 5-gal., \$5.00

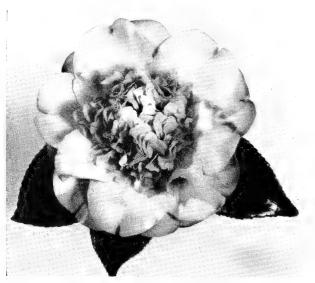
**Emperor of Russia.** Large geranium-red flowers with twisted center petals showing golden stamens irregularly interspersed throughout. Exceptionally fine. Gal., \$3.00.

**Enrico Bettoni.** Lovely formed fluffy peony-type camellia. Salmonrose. 5-gal., \$5.00.

Fanny Bolis. Large red flowers with white blotches. Enormous petals pleasingly arranged and show a few golden stamens. 5-gal., \$5.00; gal., \$2.25.

**Finlandia.** Semi-double white of exceptional beauty. The porcelain texture of the petals is lovely with the golden yellow stamens. Sometimes showing red markings. 5-gal., \$6.50; gal., \$3.00.

**Francine.** Most readily recognized as a solid colored Chandleri elegans. The flowers have the same size and lovely form, but are a uniform pleasing camellia-rose color. 5-gal., \$6.00; gal., \$2.75.



CAMELLIA, CHANDLERI ELEGANS

General Douglas MacArthur. New. large dark red flowers; very full and double. Gal., \$3.50.

**Grandiflora rosea.** Huge semi-double flowers with broad rounded salmonrose petals showing a column of golden stamens in the center. 5-gal., \$5.00; gal., \$2.50.

Imperator. One you won't forget. A deep red peony-type camellia extremely showy and lovely in form. 5-gal., \$5.00 each.

John Laing. Compact medium size flowers of soft salmon-pink. 5-gal., \$5.00; gal., \$1.75.

Jordan's Pride. Delightfully fragrant flowers 5 to 6 inches across. Semidouble with large broad petals, light pink with a broad irregular border of white and frequently broad radiating stripes of red. Gal., \$2.50.

**Kumasaka.** Fluffy, large double flowers of glowing pink, center petals curled and twisted, revealing golden stamens. Heavy flowering, vigorous and erect. Gal., \$2.75.

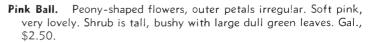
**Lotus.** The largest and most exquisitely formed of all white camellias. Semi-double, the flowers remind one of pure white lotus flowers enhanced by the golden stamens. Subject to supply. Gal., \$4.00.

**Nobilissima.** Peony-type. Pure white, the center of tightly curled petals. Outer broad petals in double row. Tall upright growth. Free flowering. Gal., \$2.25.

**Otome Red.** Medium size, deep cherry red flowers. Petals informally arranged, broad and rounded. Double, but showing some yellow stamens in center. Bushy growth. Gal., \$2.25.

**Panache.** Large slightly flattened double flowers of softest pink with lighter variegations. Abundant foliage, heavy bloom. 5-gal., \$5.00; gal., \$2.25.

**Pine Cone.** Fine bloomer. Flowers suggestive of pine cones. Very double, with high center and wavy petals. White. Very unusual. Gal., \$2.25.



**Pink Perfection.** Fully double flowers of medium size, clear pink petals neatly arranged. One of the most popular of all camellias. 5-gal., \$4.00; gal., \$1.50.

**Pink Shell.** Delicate pale pink formal. The finest of all the light pink camellias. Flowers about three times as large as Pink Perfection. In a class by itself. Gal., \$2.50.

**Princess Bacciochi.** Large double slightly cupped flowers. Deep rose red with occasional golden stamens showing. Free flowering and very lovely. Gal., \$2.75.

**Prof. C. S. Sargent.** Unusual scarlet flower in full peony form. Free flowering semi-dwarf shrub. 5-gal., \$5.00; gal., \$2.75.

**Purity.** Symmetrical double flowers. Large, snow white, showing a few stamens when fully open. Very popular. 5-gal., \$5.00; gal., \$2.00.

Rubra virginalis. Peony-type. Large flowers in soft pink. Gal., \$2.75.

Shalimar. Medium size informal pink flowers delicately fragrant.

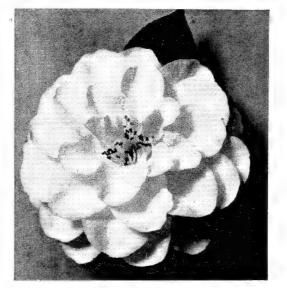
Foliage very good and the plant is endowed with a long blooming period. Gal., \$2.25.

Valvareda. Cup-shaped flowers possessing perfect symmetry. Center petals pale pink shading to a deeper rose on the outer petals. Well-branched strong grower. Very good foliage. Gal., \$2.25.

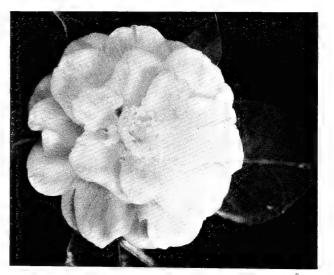
Waukanoura. Rich cherry - red, semidouble. Petals standing stiffly and separated from each other; edges slightly cupped inward. Showy. Gal., \$2.25.

White Perfection. In many ways this double flowered camellia is like Pink Perfection, but in pure white. An excellent corsage or boutonniere flower. Gal., \$2.75.

Wings. Pink Jordan's Pride. Very full double flowers of soft rose pink, showing attractive golden stamens. Petals frilly and wing-like. Gal., \$2.50.



CAMELLIA, PURITY



CAMELLIA, JORDAN'S PRIDE

### SASANQUA CAMELLIAS

**Sasanqua.** A different species than the above camellia japonica hybrids. The leaves are generally smaller, set closer on the stems. Habit is such that plants can readily be trained espalier fashion on fences, walls, etc. Flowers early in winter or late fall. They are smaller in size but make up in the quantity produced.

**Betty McCaskill.** Dainty ball-shaped double flowers in the softest pink. Petals tinted and margined with rose. Gal., \$3.00.

Briar Rose. Single, like a beautiful briar rose. Gal., \$1.50.

Hugh Evans. Beautiful single rose pink. Gal., \$2.75.

White Dove. Semi-double feathery, white flowers. Gal., \$2.25.

### YESTERDAY AND TODAY

**Brunfelsia floribunda, Yesterday and Today.** A very fine ornamental shrub for either sun or shade. Grows more compact in sun, but the clear glossy light green leaves, tough branched stems and glorious fragrant flowers are equally lovely in light shade. Flowers open blue-violet, fading first to lilac, and finally to white. 5-gal., \$2.50; gal., \$1.00.

### FOR EVENING FRAGRANCE

**Night Scented Jasmine** (Cestrum parqui). A quick growing shrub with light green foliage and clusters of unassuming light yellow green tubular flowers that suddenly become exquisitely fragrant at evening. 5-gal., \$2.00; gal., 60c.

### A TOP-NOTCH CUT FLOWER

**Geraldton Wax Flowers** (Chamaelaucium ciliatum). One of the finest shrubs of recent introduction. Showy attractive white or pink flowers with deep maroonish-red central cups, cover the entire shrub in graceful sprays. Leaves heather-like. Makes a very fine cut flower lasting for many days in water. January to April. 5-gal., \$2.25.; gal., \$1.00.

### **ROCK ROSES**

**Rock Roses.** For sunny places where ample room is available, there are few shrubs that will do as fine a job as Cistus. Never tall growing, usually spreading shrubs about 4 feet high and 6 to 10 feet across but can be kept in a smaller space by pruning the long branches back to the base. They are very showy during hot weather. Full sun.

**Ladaniferous maculatus.** Flowers the size of Cherokee roses, pure white with a maroon blotch at the base of each petal. 5-gal., \$2.00; gal., 75c.

**Purpureus.** 3 to 4-inch wide crepy textured flowers in delicate rose with purple spots at base of each petal. 5-gal., \$2.00; gal., 75c.

**Silver Pink.** Like purpureus except flowers are a uniform silvery pink without spots at the base of petals. 5-gal., \$1.75; gal., 75c.



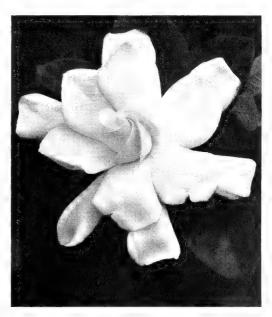
GERALDTON WAX FLOWER

### **BLUE WINTER FLOWERS**

**Eranthemum nervosum.** Lush green foliage and panicles of rich deep blue Phlox-like flowers. Nicely shaped 3-foot shrub. Showy in shaded gardens when few blue-flowered plants are available. Gal., 60c.

### GARDENIA

**Gardenia Mystery.** Of the many forms of gardenia offered by nurseries, we have selected and grown this variety as the best of the lot. It is an improved form with exquisite large double flowers. Blooms profusely during summer. Does best in sunny situation. 5-gal., \$2.50; gal., \$1.00; balled, \$3.00.



GARDENIA MYSTERY



FUCHSIA MELODY

### **NEW FUCHSIA INTRODUCTIONS**

Gal. cans, 75c each.

**Conchilla.** Short semi-double corolla of amathyst-violet changing to purple. Sepals fully rolled up.

**Coquette.** Red tube, white sepals and bluish-purple single corolla. Makes a fine specimen for hanging baskets.

**Cora Brandt.** Solid crimson on heavy tube and wide spreading sepals. Open corolla is rose madder tinged with geranium lake.

**Flamenco.** Long slender tube and butt and extra long narrow twisting sepals. Almost a rose pink self-colored flower. Single.

Frank E. Henry. Large, fluffy semi-double pure white with tube and sepals pale pink.

**Lucky Strike.** Globular in form and quite double but of extraordinary coloring. Blue-purple-pink with grey tones.

**Minuet.** Upright growth and free-flowering habit. Flowers with brilliant red sepals and purple petals. Single.

**Mrs. G. G. Henry.** Trailing single Fuchsia. Petals white, sepals pale pink.

**Prima Donna.** Single perfect flowers. Petals large, sepals very pale pink,

### **DOUBLE FUCHSIAS**

From 4-inch pots or 1-gal. containers, each 50c.

**Constance.** Free blooming; sepals blue shaded pink; petals soft pink.

**Crescendo.** Petals peony-purple with lower third turkey red. Sepals turkey red.

Gypsy Queen. Petals rosy mauve; sepals deep crimson.

Mme. Danjoux. Double white suffused carmine; sepals red.

**Mrs. Desmond.** Large flowers; petals light purple exquisitely veined. Sepals rose red inside, darker outside.

**Pride of Exeter.** Petals broad deep rose lightly suffused violet; sepals long reflexed, light rose; tube white shaded pink.

### **FUCHSIAS**

Fuchsias. The highly colored yet delicate flowers of Fuchsias are so varied and beautiful that they are popular all over the country. In California they are hardy outdoors in shaded places. Plant in a rich soil with plenty of leaf mold or peat and keep well watered but not soggy wet.

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#### SINGLE FUCHSIAS

From 4-inch pots or 1-gal. containers, each 50c.

**Countess of Aberdeen.** Petals white or pale pink; tube and sepals white.

**Melody.** Large flowers; petals cyclemen purple; recurved sepals rose.

Sunset. Deep salmon-orange. Flowers open, saucer-shaped.

### **HEATHER**

**Heather** (Erica melanthera rosea). Showy, very popular heather making dense 6-foot shrub. Covered with long cloud-like sprays of deep rosy purple flowers from October to April. Color is best during the coolest weather. Long lived when planted in acid soil and sun. 5-gal., \$2.00; gal., 75c.



FUCHSIA GYPSY QUEEN

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### HIBISCUS

Hibiscus. No shrub is more typical of California than this glorious almost everblooming shrub. Hibiscus get to be a good size but can be cut back safely if pruning is done just as new growth starts. All varieties do well near the coast, although the single varieties are better inland. The lush evergreen foliage is always attractive.

Agnes Gault. Very popular large flowered pink. Single. 5-gal., \$2.25; gal., 75c.

**Double Agnes Gault.** Very double with the pleasing pink of Agnes Gault. 5-gal., \$2.25; gal. 75c.

**Apricot.** Single, rich apricot shaded orange-yellow. 5-gal., \$2.25; gal., 75c.

**Brilliante.** Firey red. Very popular single. 5-gal., \$2.25; gal., 75c.

**Crown of Bohemia.** Large double golden yellow suffused with amber and apricot. 5-gal., \$3.00; gal., \$1.50.

**Double Orange.** Fine shades of bronzy orange. Very double. 5-gal., \$2.50; gal., \$1.00.

**Double Red.** Excellent double with deep old rose shades. 5-gal., \$2.25; gal., 75c.

**Single White.** Pure white with red cluster. 5-gal., \$2.25; gal., \$1.00.

Baby Ruffled Scarlet. Lovely variety with bright scarlet flowers, 2 to 3 in. across. Flowers very dainty and attractive, hanging all over the plant. Style column exceptionally long. 5-gal., \$2.25; gal., 75c.

**Double White.** Fully double, white. 5-gal., \$2.25; gal. 75c.

Fair Jeanette. Light pink. 5-gal., \$3.00; gal., \$1.25.



HIBISCUS

### THE PRINCESS FLOWER

**Princess Flower** (Tibouchina grandiflora). The green hairy leaves are often widely placed on this shrub and it may get a little gangling and awkward but the display of large mauve flowers is indeed surprising. Light pruning will keep the shape very well. Sun or part shade. 5-gal., \$2.25; gal., 75c.

Climbing Princess Flower. Like the above but the leaves are smaller and more closely placed. Climbs readily to 10 or 15 feet so is fine for pergolas and arbors. Covered as it is with mauve flowers 1 to 1½ inches across it makes a good display. Gal., \$1.00.

## PYRACANTHA BRILLIANT CHRISTMAS BERRIES

Pyracantha Duvali (Pat. 346). The showiest and best of the Firethorns. Stems literally choked with clusters of large bright red berries. Foliage neat, deep green, narrow. White flowers early in the season are very much like drifts of snow and are followed by amazing crops of berries. Established plants are a sight to remember. 5-gal., \$3.00; gal., \$1.25.

### **EUGENIA**

**Eugenia** (Eugenia myrtifolia). Most popular of the Eugenias, making a very fine hedge or tall upright columns. Eugenias need shearing to keep the shape, but this stimulates production of the new reddish-colored growth. The clove-like buds open to fluffy white flowers and are followed by bright red fruits in the fall and winter. 5-gal., \$2.00; gal., 50c.



CLIMBING PRINCESS FLOWER



TYPICAL FRENCH HYDRANGEA

### **HYDRANGEAS**

Hydrangea, French Hybrids. Lovely low shrubs, 3 to 4 feet high with large light green leaves and immense clusters of delicately colored flowers. Individual florets very large. We have pink, blue, white and carmine red forms available. 5-gal., \$2.25; gal., 75c.

### DOUBLE BUSH JASMINE

Jasmine, Maid of Orleans. Bushy shrub with deep green glossy leaves and fragrant white double flowers. Does well in sun or shade. Has a sweet enticing fragrance on the order of gardenia but not overpowering. Gal., 85c.

### LANTANA

Lantana. These showy shrubs give more color per year than any other plant we offer. They thrive on neglect and if frozen back quickly recover. Full sun. Dwarf varieties in orange, pink, yellow and white. Gal., 50c.

**Sellowiana** (Trailing lantana). Useful for covering banks, parkings. Makes a rapid and thorough covering. Lavender-orchid flowers. Sun. Gal., 50c.

### **HOLLY GRAPE**

Holly Grape (Mahonia aquifolium). Excellent evergreen shrub for either sun or shade. Leaves deep green glossy, the leaflets have a holly appearance and the blue "grapes" that follow the clussters of bright yellow flowers are often used in jellies. Winter pruning of long shoots will keep the plants compact and neat. 5-gal., \$2.00; gal. 60c.

### **ORANGE JESSAMINE**

**Orange Jessamine** (Murraea exotica). Bushy shrub to about four feet, best in partial shade. Foliage as neat as Mexican Orange. Flowers fragrant of orange blossoms, waxy white in heavy panicles several times during the year. 5-gal., \$2.50; Gal., \$1.00.

### MYRTLE FOR LOW HEDGES

Myrtle (Myrtus communis). A very popular shrub for hedges—medium and small or foundation plantings. Glossy deep green tiny leaves of soft texture, especially in hedges. White fluffy flowers followed by blue-black berries.

**Buxilofia.** Leaves almost one inch long and flowers about an inch across. Will grow 5 feet high but can be kept to 3 or 4 feet by shearing. 5-gal., \$2.00; gal., 50c.

**Compacta.** Naturally compact in growth and seldom over  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet high and through. Makes a neat low hedge ideal for lining walks and flower beds. Sun. 5-gal., \$2.00; gal., 50c.

### BERRIES AND AUTUMN COLORS

Heavenly Bamboo (Nandina domestica). The foliage of this plant is only one of its glories; when new it has a lovely bronzy-red tint changing to green but almost afire in cool weather with shades of crimson, and vermilion. At such time the broad flat clusters of bright red berries are particularly fascinating. 5-gal., \$2.00; gal., 60c.

### **PITTOSPORUMS**

**Pittosporum Tobira.** Few landscape plantings can do without this trustworthy shrub. Makes a glorious accent plant with its deep green laurel-like leaves. Clusters of white flowers in spring are very fragrant. 5-gal., \$2.00; gal., 50c.

**Tobira Variegated.** Leaves with a white margin. Very attractive and on the whole the effect is a shrub with light greyish-green leaves. 5-gal., \$2.00; gal., 60c.

**Pittosporum undulatum.** One of the most versatile large shrubs on our list. It is cheap enough to use in quantity where a tall screen is needed and neat enough to train as a small tree with a single stem or allowed to grow as a large shrub in the foundation planting. Leaves with wavy margins—a pleasant light green. Flowers white and fragrant. 5-Gal., \$2.00; gal., 50c.



JASMINE MAID OF ORLEANS

### **OLEANDERS**

Oleanders (Nerium oleander). Large shrub equally useful and at home along the coast or in the hot desert valleys where they are the showiest summer flowering shrubs. Oleanders have been known since ancient times and have been popular as tub plants in cold regions, being stored in the cellar over winter. Why not try some of these extra fine varieties in tubs. 5-gal., \$2.00; gal., 75c.

Cherry Red. Large bright scarlet flowers.

Double Rose. Huge double pink flowers. One of the best.

Mrs. Roeding. Salmon-pink, semi-double.

Single White. Pure ivory white.

### **POINSETTIAS**

Poinsettias are a common sight all winter in California where they are grown to 4 feet, if cut to the ground after blooming, or 8 to 10 feet, if left unpruned. The flowers are bright red leaves surrounding the tiny white true flowers. Easy to grow in any sunny place. Ideal Christmas pot plant.

SingleRed. The popular type. Gal., 70c.

**Double Red** (Henrietta Ecke). The flowers extremely double. Very attractive. Gal., 90c.

Single Yellow. New novelty. Gal., 90c.

### **BIRD OF PARADISE**

**Bird of Paradise** (Strelitzia reginae). The exotic Bird of Paradise from Africa is completely hardy in California. Makes a dense clump of long green leaves from which appear the long stems and heads of flowers looking for all the world like a gay tropical bird in orange and deep blue. Can be grown successfully in tubs or large pots or in the open ground. Gal., \$1.50; 4-inch pots, 60c.

### STAR BUSH

**Starbush** (Turraea obtusifolia). A neat little shrub with dense rounded growth of deep green. In summer it is frosted all over with little 1-inch stars. A free-blooming plant that is here to stay. New. Sun. 5-gal., \$2.50; gal. \$1.00.



MYRTUS COMMUNIS BUXIFOLIA



ARNOLD CRAB

### FLOWERING TREES

### FLOWERING PEACHES

**Flowering Peaches.** Include some of the best spring flowering trees. Small, as trees grow, they fit into even modest gardens and produce the most effective display of bloom in spring. We offer the following. Some varieties listed below bare root each, \$2.00.

**Bicolor.** Large double flowers either entirely red or white blotched or streaked with red. Early February.

**Burbank.** Double pink shaded rosy pink at center. Buds light pink. Early February.

**Pres. Roosevelt.** Firey red buds open to brilliant red flowers in mid January. Extremely showy, the entire tree often is completely covered.

**Purity.** Of slow growth and smaller size, this double white gives an amazing display of color. Mid February.

San Jose Pink. Fast growing and heavy blooming variety. Flowers soft rose pink, semi-double. Early January.

**Vesuvius.** The best late red. Large well shaped rich red flowers of perfect camellia-form last well on the tree. Fine for cutting. Mid February.

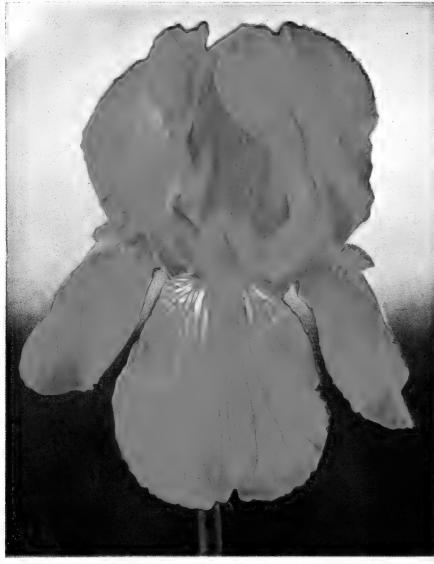
Wrigley's Pink. One of the best rose-pink varieties. Excellent and showy in early January. Flowers large, double and very fragrant.

### FLOWERING CRABS

Equally satisfying in the spring landscape are the flowering crabs. They are hardier than Peaches in many ways and not at all particular as to soil.

**Arnold Crab** (Malus arnoldiana). Large shrub or small tree often irregular in shape and it is safe to say without reservation one of the showiest shrubs in spring with bright red buds and dainty white flowers. \$2.00 each.

**Bechtel's Crab** (Malus ioensis plena). Distinct from all other crabapples because the flowers are very large and very double, almost like delicate light pink roses. Nice clean foliage and regular habit. \$2.00 each.



ALTA CALIFORNIA

**Shining Water.** Clear blue with bright orange beard. Petals with firm texture, wax-like, perfectly symmetrical on well branched stalks. 35c each.

**Sweet Alibi.** A profuse blooming iris and therefore worth a place in every garden. Flowers pale primrose yellow. 25c each.

### SPECIAL IRIS COLLECTION

For those who wish to get a good selection of garden iris—all fine varieties in a wide range at a low price cost this offer is really a buy. Most of the varieties are not listed in this catalogue:

You may order as many collections as you wish or we offer a special attractive group of 100 iris plants in at least 30 varieties without labels for \$7.00.

All Iris Postpaid.

#### SOMETHING DIFFERENT IN IRIS

**Nada.** We are sure you will enjoy the flowers of this lovely little iris. It is not like the garden varieties above—instead, the dainty flowers, each seldom over 2 inches across, are borne on tall branching stems  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 feet high. A good plant for semi-shaded places in the garden where the plants can be set 8 to 10 inches apart and allowed to grow freely. 75c each.

### GARDEN IRIS

We make no attempt to offer a large list of this popular plant because we feel that the best results are to be had if the list is reduced to a reasonable few. We therefore have selected those which we believe are the best of recent years and which will give a good color assortment to the average garden.

**Alta California.** Still one of the best yellow iris. Tall, slightly bronzed, especially on the shaft. 25c each.

**Brown Betty.** Lovely cinnamon brown with copper and soft lavender shadings. Very popular and suitable only in milder climates. 50c each.

**California Blue.** Rich bluish-violet with a glowing beard. Vigorous, with fine foliage and profuse early bloom. 25c each.

**China Boy.** A magnificent iris with huge flowers. Rich red-bronze with shades of brown. Tall and stately. \$1.00 each.

China Maid. An intriguing blend of pink, golden bronze and soft lilac. Flowers are large and well proportioned. Tall graceful stems. \$1.00 each.

**Crystal Beauty.** A hardy variety especially suited to severe winters. Pure white. Very fine. 3 ½-foot stems. 25c each.

**Copper Lustre.** A blend of pink and gold with shades of copper showing through. This very fine variety should be in every garden. 35c each.

**El Capitan.** Very large violet flowers. A magnificent iris with its 50-inch stems. 25c each.

**Golden Cataract.** Almost always in bloom and an excellent garden iris. Pure dark yellow flowers of medium size. 25c each.

Happy Days. Vigorous grower with medium size flowers of solid clear yellow. Orange-yellow beard. 30c each.

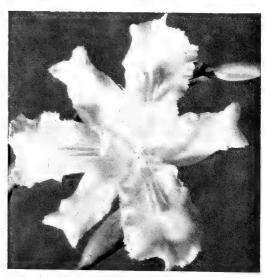
Los Angeles. Standards white faintly edged clear blue; the style arms clear blue. 25c each.

Mauna Loa. Bicolor; reddish flowers with dahliapurple falls. Tall, large flowered and well branched. 35c each.

Pale Moonlight. A uniform pale blue with a bright orange beard. Falls slightly flaring. Recommended only for mild climates. 35c each.

Pink Satin. Delightful pink with satiny finish. 25c each.

**Rosy Wings.** A handsome iris of irridescent rose and copper. Very beautiful and sure to attract attention. 1.00 each.



IRIS NADA covers its tall graceful stems with delicate flowers like this. That is why we consider it something diffirent in Iris. 75c each.

### BULBS

## FOR FALL PLANTING - SPRING FLOWERS

### ANEMONE

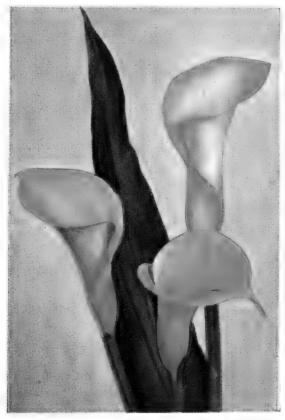
Anemone De Caen. Popular early spring flowers; flat, open saucers, wide and poppy-like in gay bright colors, including red, pink, lavender, purple, blue and white. Give rich open soil, sun. Plant 1 inch deep. Mixed colors. Top size, 18 for \$1.00; medium size, 30 for \$1.00; small size, 60 for \$1.00.

### TUBEROUS BEGONIAS

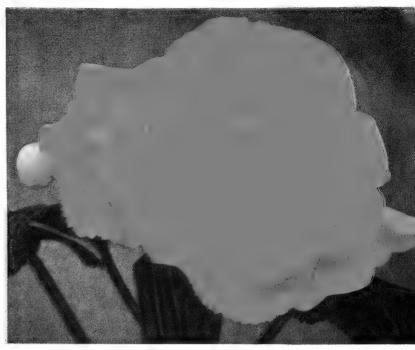
**Tuberous Begonias.** Very popular plants for shady gardens with large decorative leaves and showy waxy flowers. Start bulbs in sandy peat or leaf mold and transplant to soil made up with generous amounts of leaf mold or peat.

**Camellia-flowered.** This strain is the best obtainable, producing immense, fully double flowers with rich coloring. In the following colors: Red, pink, white, yellow, orange, salmon, rose. \$2.00 per doz., postpaid.

**Carnation-flowered.** Fully double with petals fringed like a carnation. Very lovely and a welcome variation in begonia plantings. In the following colors: Red, pink, white, yellow, orange, salmon, rose. \$2.00 per doz., postpaid.



PINK CALLA



TUBEROUS BEGONIA

### **CALLAS**

Callas. No garden in California is complete without some callas. The white has been most popular but the newer colored kinds offer much in interest because of their dwarfer habit of growth and rich colors. All very easy to grow in good soil kept well watered.

Large White (Aethiopica). Very popular. Large white form of lovely texture. 15c each.

**Golden Yellow** (Elliotiana). Luxuriant deep green leaves with silvery speckles. Flowers golden yellow. 25c each.

**Large-flowered Pink** (Rehmanni superba). Taller than the usual pink calla and with real pink flowers. 50c each.

**CALLA COLLECTION OFFER.** One root each of white, yellow and pink Callas will be sent **postpaid for 90c.** 

### FREESIAS

**Freesias.** For fragrance in the garden and indoors when the flowers are cut there is hardly a bulb superior to Freesia. Plant them in quantity for many of the lovely colored kinds are exceptionally desirable.

**Rainbow Mixture.** Choice blend of colors. 35c doz.; \$2.25 per 100, postpaid.

### **RANUNCULUS**

Ranunculus. For southern gardens these bulbs take the place of tulips. They are so well known as to need little description. The tall graceful stems have lovely large double flowers in many shades from white through orange, yellow, pink and red. Plant as for anemones one inch deep with the claws downward. In cold climates plant well after the ground has warmed in late spring.

Superb Mixture of Giant Ranunculus. Top size, 18 for \$1.00; medium size, 30 for \$1.00; small size, 60 for \$1.00.



EASTER LILY VINE

Easter Lily Vine (Beaumontia grandiflora). Large, rapidly-growing vine with fragrant Easter Lily-like flowers in generous clusters. For sun or part shade, this vine is one of the most amazing we have. The large glossy green leaves could be considered evergreen only where there are no frosts. Generally light frosts are not serious. 5-gal., \$3.00; gal., \$1.00.

**Bignonia cherere.** Free growing, covering an enormous area. With deep green glossy evergreen foliage and clusters of large 4-inch trumpets. Bright red flaring petals form a bright yellow tube, with tints of lavender on the outside of the tube. Flowers from fall until June. Sun or part shade. 5-gal., \$3.00; gal., 75c.

**Bignonia violacea.** Flowers a delicate lavender with deeper veins so abundantly produces in spring as to conceal the foliage. This is a delicate vine although perfectly hardy and slow growing enough to be used in small spaces. 5-gal., \$3.00; gal., \$1.00.

**Bougainvillea Crimson Lake.** This well-known vine makes a brilliant display of bright red flowers. Some are in bloom at all times except very cool weather. Subject to frost but recovers readily. Very showy on sunny pergolas. 5-gal., \$4.00; gal. \$1.50.

**Bougainvillea braziliensis.** Large showy rosy-purple flowers of a pleasing color produced in quantity most of the year, heaviest show in winter and spring. Hardiest of all. Sun. Gal., \$1.50.

Carolina Jessamine (Gelsemium sempervirens). Beautiful evergreen twining vine, with generous light green foliage and in spring covered with tubular Jasmine-like yellow fragrant flowers. The deep yellow flowers have wide flaring mouths like Weigela and make a delightful splash of color. 5-gal., \$3.50; gal., \$1.00.

Ivy (Marion's Beauty). One of the best for pot culture. Needs no pinching back to make it bushy and branched. Free growing yet never weedy—always fresh and clean. 4-inch pots, 50c.

### VINES

**Guinea Flower** (Hibbertia volubilis). A first class vine in all respects. The thick almost fleshy deep green clean looking leaves thickly clothing the vine and the two-inch golden blossoms make this a worthwhile vine. Fast growing and showy when in bloom. Spring and early summer. 5-gal., \$3.00; gal., \$1.00.

Giant Honeysuckle (Lonicera hildebrandiana). Hardy in all but the coldest spots this giant of the Honeysuckles is a worthy addition. The flowers often reach the amazing length of six inches and cover the vine in spring and early summer. Very fragrant. Light yellow turning darker. Allow plenty of room. Grafted plants. 5-gal., \$4.00; gal., \$1.50.

Climbing Princess Flower. Like the bush but the leaves are smaller and more closely placed. Climbs readily to 10 or 15 feet so is fine for pergolas and arbors. Covered as it is with mauve flowers 1 to 11/2 inches across it makes a good display. Gal., \$1.00.

**Stigmaphyllon ciliatum.** The easiest way we can describe the flower of this vine is to say that they are a golden yellow counterpart of Crepe Myrtle both in form and texture and in show on established plants. Slightly larger and in delicate clusters. Showy against the high green heart-shaped leaves. Sun. 5-gal., \$3.00; gal., \$1.00.

**Blue Sky Flower** (Thunbergia grandiflora). Heavily foliaged with light green leaves long heart-shaped. The flowers are outstanding, being like large trumpet-flowers in delicate light blue, white in throat. Makes a beautiful cover for arches. Sun or light shade. 5-gal., \$3.00; gal., \$1.00.

Star Jasmine (Trachelospermum jasminoides). An ideal vine for shady places. Inside your lath house, where it may be kept within bounds by pruning, it will continue flowering for most of the summer with sprays of little white fragrant pinwheels. Fragrance more pronounced in evening. You may grow it out in the sun, too. 5-gal., \$3.00; gal., \$1.00.



CAROLINA JESSAMINE



EPIPHYLLUM ROSETTA

### **EPIPHYLLUMS**

**Orchid Cacti.** One of the finest flowering plants for semi-shaded or fully shaded places. They are particularly fine when placed in containers suitable for hanging on the trunks of trees or against walls, such as wire baskets.

Plant in a well drained soil compounded of sand, garden soil and leafmold in about equal proportions. Top dress in early spring with manure and later on about a month after the blooming season using any good commercial fertilizer. Although the soil should be moderately moist at all times the drainage should be quick and thorough. Epiphyllums are not desert cacti, rather their original home is in moist climates where they grow mostly in trees as do some orchids.

### **NEW AND RARE VARIETIES**

California Beauty. Flowers orange with a purple eye. \$2.00.

Cattleya. Inner face of petals orchid, outer blood red. \$1.50.

Dr. Werderman. Lavender with bright red edges. \$1.00.

Fire God. Large deep burnt orange flowers. \$1.00.

Miss Santa Monica. Hanging basket type with small orange blooms. \$1.00.

Orchid Supreme. Light orchid. \$1.00.

Paradise. Orchid petals shaded red at edges. \$2.00.

Southland. Flowers clear orange. \$1.00.

COLLECTION OFFER. One each of the above 8 kinds: \$9.50, Postpaid.

### STANDARD VARIETIES

Rooted Cuttings, 3 for \$1.25, Postpaid

**Amber Queen.** Large amber and red flowers with attractive wine red margins.

Argus. Apricot with cherry red eye.

Cooperi. Large sweet scented flowers in cream and white. Late

Conway's Giant. Best deep crimson. Petals with purple overtone.

Deutsche Kaiserin. Profuse. Delicate pink flowers. Hanging bas-

ket type. Flowers suitable for corsages.

Gloria. Large wide open flowers. Uniform salmon-orange or light

**Gloria.** Large wide open flowers. Uniform salmon-orange or light amber. A very good bloomer.



POINSETTIA GERANIUM

### POINSETTIA GERANIUM

A novelty that is really different. Although the individual flowers are small they make quite a show in the cluster when the plants are fully in bloom. Individual petals long and narrow suggesting a Poinsettia, and the same bright red color. 50c each.



SHASTA DAISY, ESTHER READ See page 25

### EPIPHYLLUMS, Continued

**Hermosissimus.** Large red and purple flowers. Edges shaded lavender.

Mount Hood. Early white flowers.

Padre. Distinctive cup and saucer type. Light salmon pink.

**Rosetta.** Flowers medium size. Deep rose pink. Often flowers in winter.



DAY LILIES, Hemerocallis

### Daylilies HEMEROCALLIS

Hemerocallis or Day Lilies. The hardy Day Lilies are without question one of the most essential plants for the flower border. Their large clumps of grass-like leaves, long, green, and disease free, support graceful sprays of lily-like flowers in yellow, orange and near red. They ask only for good garden soil and sun but will still flower in light shade.

**Dover.** Evergreen foliage. Sprays of large golden yellow flowers on  $2\frac{1}{2}$ -foot stems. 35c each.

**Gipsy.** Another evergreen variety of the same size but with brilliant orange flowers. Very showy. 35c each.

J. A. Crawford. Evergreen with four-foot stems bearing apricot yellow flowers. 35c each.

**Kwanso.** Tall erect stems with brownish-orange double flowers. One of the most reliable of summer flowering types. 35c each.

Margaret Perry. Brilliant rose-red and buff orange lined with yellow. Stems 4 feet. Very floriferous. 35c each.

**Middendorffi.** A dwarf variety useful for the front of the border. Seldom over one foot high. Yellow flowers. 35c each.

**Mikado.** Evergreen producing stems  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet high with sprays of wide open deep orange flowers almost reddish with yellow bases and mahogany markings on the yellow. 50c each.

Nana. Grows one foot high and produces medium size flowers of pure clear golden yellow. 35c each.

Sir Michael Foster. One of the finest evergreen Day Lilies for southern California. Tall stems, large flowers of apricot-yellow. good foliage. 3 ½ feet. 50c each.

### **GERBERAS**

Gerbera Jamesoni Hybrids, Transvaal Daisies. This is one of the finest perennials for the garden and cutting. Forms low tufts of foliage from which rise slender graceful stems bearing beautiful daisy-like flowers in a wide range of color. They are long-lasting and brilliant although many are pastel colors that combine well with living room furnishings when made into bouquets. In California they bloom over a long period but in colder climates give a light mulch during winter and enjoy their exquisite blooms in summer

Single Gerberas. Choice strain including many of the best colors. When planting the crown of the plant should be high enough that it won't stand in water. This is especially true for our eastern customers. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen—Postpaid.

**Double Gerberas.** The center of the flower is completely double. We offer three color selections that seem to be the best available. **Red, Orange** and **Goden Glow.** One of each color, \$1.00, postpaid.

#### YOU PROBABLY HAVE SPACE FOR A GOOD POT PLANT

We have sold many of these in the last few years for just such a place as yours. They seem right at home in the average home as long as they don't freeze and get a fair amount of sunshine. They are called **Billbergia amoena**—look like a small pineapple plant but with a smooth bronzy green, spineless, and during the summer long pendant sprays of flowers appear in a patriotic rocket in red, greenish-white, and blue. Makes a fine gift plant. \$1.25 each, postpaid.



DOUBLE GERBERAS

### PELARGONIUMS

### MARTHA WASHINGTON GERANIUMS

Always a favorite pot plant in cold climates and among the choicer plants in warm climates. From the many types available we have selected the best and can supply them in almost any color. We offer about 12 choice varieties. From 3-inch pots, 50c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid; 12 for \$3.50, postpaid.

See Page 23 for Listing of the Novelty Poinsettia Geranium.

### **EPIDENDRUM O'BRIENIANUM**

The easiest of all orchids for anybody to grow. They make large clumps in good soil and most of the summer are covered with clusters of bright red flowers. Flowers are long lasting and the straight stems can easily be cut. May be grown indoors in pots where the climate is colder. 2 plants for \$1.50, postpaid.

### **BLUE LILY OF THE NILE**

Agapanthus umbellatus. On stout, yet graceful stalks this plant bears large umbels of lovely blue lily-like flowers in great profusion during the summer months. The leaves are long and narrow in nice clumps. Agapanthus is delightful when planted in colonies of several bulbs in partially shaded places where the blue flowers show up well against a dark green background, and is most effective if partial sunlight strikes the flowers. Shade is not necessary, it just prolongs the flowering season. Bulbs for shipping, 45c each.

### ASTER FRIKARTI

Aster Frikarti, Wonder of Staffa. Few perennial plants have enjoyed as much popularity as this low growing bushy aster. Thoroughly perennial it is literally alive with 2-inch blue or lavender blue asters in summer. Flowers have attractive golden centers. Give full sun and plant in middle part or front of the border. 60c each.



DELPHINIUM, PACIFIC HYBRIDS



PELARGONIUMS

### **CANNAS**

**Canna.** Cannas need little description for they have been grown for a long time for their tropical looking foliage and showy brightly colored flowers. Give full sun and although they need not be lifted in California they should be dug and stored as Dahlias are, where the winters are cold. We offer the best flowered kinds available in **Red, Pink** and **Yellow.** 50c each.

### **DELPHINIUMS**

Delphinium Pacific Hybrids. This glorious garden plant lends its tall stately flower spikes to grace any garden. Since the introduction a few years ago of this strain of Delphinium it has become the standard of perfection among garden Delphiniums. The individual florets are quite large, many times they are 2 inches or better across in well fertilized plants and come in several distinct shades. We offer mixed colors only which may include light and dark shades of blue, pink, lavender, to purple and white. 50c each. Young plants (best for shipping), 6 for \$1.00, postpaid.

### **SOUTH AFRICAN IRIS**

Moraea. The South African Iris is a very charming garden plant for mild climates. Makes clumps of graceful grass-like leaves in a handsome dark green color. The flowers delicate white marked yellow and blue or purple at the base. Very attractive when they bloom in early summer. Give full sun, use as an accent plant in the perennial border. Moraea iridioides, 4 for \$1.00, postpaid.

### SHASTA DAISY

Shasta Daisy Ester Reed (Illustrated Page 23.). The best of the Shasta Daisies. Fully double with an anemone or pompon center of smaller petals. White. Plant in full sun. Makes an excellent cut flower. 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.

### FRUIT TREES FOR HOME PLANTING



VALENCIA ORANGE

### **ORANGES**

Favorite of all. We offer the best selected kinds.

**Valencia.** Best winter orange. Few seeds, thin rind, excellent flavor. Consistent bearing of good crops. \$4.00-\$6.00 each.

**Washington Navel.** Summer oranges. Make excellent juice, but are favored by many as eating oranges. Rind slightly thicker. Fruits seedless. \$5.50 each.

### **GRAPES**

Each 35c; doz., \$3.50

EUROPEAN GRAPES—For Table or for Wine.

Black Hamburg. Large round black table grape. Midseason.

**Black Monukka.** Black seedless. Good for both table and wine. Midseason.

Emperor. Late, red.

Fiame Tokay. Crisp red grape. Ripens midseason.

Malaga. The most popular midseason white grape.

Mission. Black wine grape. September.

**Muscat.** The most popular table grape. Midseason. For raisins and wine.

**Red Malaga.** A red skinned variety of this popular white grape. **Ribier.** Extra large black variety. Midseason.

Rish Baba. Long oval-shaped white grape. Midseason.

Rose of Peru. Vigorous vine. Appealing black grapes. Fine for eating.

Thompson's Seedless. Early white grape for table and raisins.

**Zinfandel.** The leading black wine grape in California. Berries small round, thin skinned and juicy.

AMERICAN GRAPE—For Juice and Jelly.

**Eastern Concord.** Finest of all blue grapes. Makes excellent jelly and grapejuice. Each 45c; doz. \$4.50.

#### **ESPALIER FRUIT TREES**

We expect to have a limited assortment of the better varieties of Espalier Fruit Trees. Excellent for training against walls, fences, to save space and still have fruit trees. Priced at nursery.

Whether for Victory Gardens or general useful plantings, fruit trees lend much to the home planting scheme. Many of these so-called hardy fruits, such as cherry, apple, crabapple, peach and the like, make excellent small to medium size flowering trees and add so much to the family income in fine flavored fruit. Most important of all is the consideration that everyone should make before planting—selection of variety best suited to the home garden and highest quality trees. The quality offered at our nursery is tops and will begin producing at the earliest possible time.

#### LEMON

**Eureka.** This is the most widely planted commercial lemon and the best for the home garden where one tree or so will supply fruit for the home. Excellent large fine flavored fruits. \$5.50 each.

Meyer. Bush Form. The Meyer Lemon has been one of the most useful of fruits for California. Quite hardy, it can be grown as far north as San Francisco. An ornamental of top merit, with delicious flavorful fruit as well. 5 gal., \$3.00; 1-gal. \$1.00.

#### LIME

**Rangpur** (Bush). An ornamental shrub of great merit. When in fruit, covered with orange colored fruits similar in appearance to tangerines, but with lime flavor. 5-gal., \$3.00; 1-gal., \$1.00.

### **AVOCADOS**

This pleasant shade tree is one of the best for California, especially after the tree gains some size and therefore gives some "head room" under the branches. Avocados may be selected for the season of fruiting so that a continuous supply may be forthcoming. We offer the following top quality varieties at \$6.00-\$8.00 each.

Fuerte. Very popular. Fruit from November to May.

Ryan. Fruit from May to October.



GRAPE, TOKAY

### Deciduous Fruit and Nut Trees

### **APPLES**

4 to 6 ft. Trees, \$1.75 each.

**Delicious.** Bright red tasty apples. Skin streaked with crimson. Late.

**Gravenstein.** Summer ripening apple of medium size. Yellow skin striped with red.

Jonathan. Bright red apples. Flesh tart and crisp.

Red Astrachan. Fine apple for both cooking and eating.

**Winesap.** Bright deep red striped and blotched with dark purple. Yellow undertone. Coarse yellow flesh.

Winter Banana. Large pale yellow fruits. One of the best for mild climates. Starts bearing at early age.

### **APRICOTS**

4 to 6 ft. Trees, No. 1 Stock, each \$1.75

**Moorpark.** Large round deeply colored fruits. Bears large crops on alternate years. Midseason.

Royal. An excellent variety for the home orchard. Sweet, deep orange flesh.

**Tilton.** One of the latest to ripen and fine for hot dry sections. Fruits heart-shaped, richly colored.

#### CHERRIES

4 to 6 ft. Trees, No. 1 Stock, each \$1.75

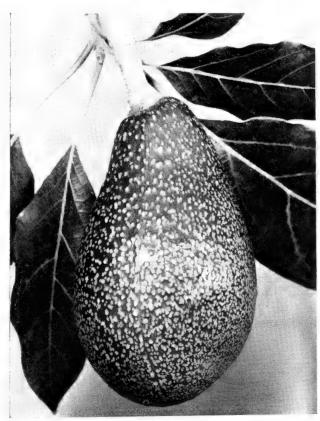
**Bing.** Large sweet cherries with firm almost black flesh. Glossy skin when ripe. Very attractive and good for canning.

**Morello.** One of the best home varieties, making a small, roundheaded tree. Fruits dark red, almost black when ripe.

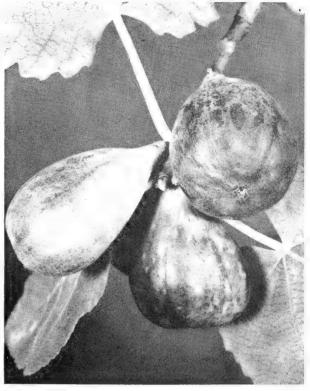
#### CRABAPPLE

4 to 6 ft. Trees, No. 1 Stock, each \$1.75

**Transcendent.** Most popular crabapple for Southern California. Fruits yellow with attractive red blush. Makes fine jelly. Ripens about August.



FUERTE AVOCADO



BROWN AURKEY FIG

### Figs

No. 1 Stock, each \$1.75

**Brown Turkey.** Large, long purplish-brown figs with red flesh. Excellent for eating—sweet and tasty. Bears best crops if heavily pruned in January or February.

**Mission.** Known also as the California Black Fig. Long-necked figs of deep violet, almost black with brownish-red flesh. Does well in all sections and should be lightly pruned if at all.

**Kadota.** This is the popular small greenish-white fig with sweet amber flesh. An all purpose variety for drying, pickling or eating fresh.

### **NECTARINES**

Fuzzless Peach, 4 to 6 ft. Trees, No. 1 Stock, each \$1.75

**Goldmine.** Red and yellow with delicious white flesh. Juicy, fine flavored. Early August.

**Gower.** Fruits pale green with deep red blush where exposed to the sun. Of good size and fine quality. Early June.

**Quetta.** Extra large beautiful fruits. Flesh unusually firm, making this clingstone nectarine excellent for canning and shipping.

**Stanwick.** Pale green fruits shaded with purple. Ripe early in August.

### **PEARS**

4 to 6 ft Trees, No. 1 Stock, each \$1.75

**Bartlett.** A favorite of all pear growers and enthusiasts for adaptability to soils and climates; fruitfulness, flavor and canning quality. Summer.

**Winter Nelis.** Tender, juicy flesh with a rich aromatic flavor. Pears yellow in color with russet streaks and patches, and a red blush where they are exposed to the sun. A fine winter pear.



MEYER LEMON (See Page 26)

### Peaches

One of the best deciduous fruits for mild and cold climates. Trees are small, beautiful when in bloom and the fruit is excellent either for eating fresh or with the yellow-fleshed and cling varieties, for canning and preserves.

4 to 6 ft. Trees, No. 1 Stock, each \$1.75

**Babcock.** The finest white peach for southern gardens. Fruits not very large but of finest flavor and truly beautiful with their deep red cheeks. A consistent bearer. Early.

**Champion.** Best of the white freestone peaches. Fruits are of uniform quality. Skin creamy white with red blush.

**Early Elberta.** Large yellow freestone ripening early in June. Like the Elberta except for early ripening.

**Elberta.** Good sized oval fruits, rich yellow with red cheeks. Yellow flesh of excellent flavor for canning or eating fresh. Early July

**Golden Jubilee.** A wonderful new yellow freestone peach. Flesh firm, rich and juicy. Sweet and delightfully fragrant. One peach worthy of a place in the home orchard.

Fisher (Pat. 23). High quality, yellow fleshed peach of fine texture and delicious "peachy" flavor. Ripens six weeks ahead of the Elberta. 20c extra.

Foster. A yellow freestone similar to Early Crawford. The fruit is of good size and attractive in appearance. Flesh firm, sweet and juicy with fine flavor. Excellent for canning.

Hale's Early. Semi-cling. A good early peach, medium size. Skin greenish white with attractive red cheek. Good quality.

Improved Early Elberta. One of the best peaches for canning. Fruit a beautiful golden yellow with a glorious deep blush on the sunny side. Rich fine flavored yellow flesh.

**J. H. Hale.** Popular, large delicious peach with fine flavor and exceedingly handsome appearance. Flesh yellow.

Nectar (Pat. 86). A very fine early white fleshed freestone peach with flavor suggestive of nectarine. Sturdy trees produce fine crops. 20c extra.

### RIO OSO GEM

Rio Oso Gem (Pat. 84). This peach, an improvement on the J. H. Hale, has received almost universal recognition as one of the finest yellow peaches available today. It follows the Hale slightly in ripening and its flavor and quality has no equal. A favorite of the market and home orchardist. 10c extra.

### PERSIMMON

4 to 5 ft., \$3.00. each.

**Hachiya.** Popular large fruited Persimmon. Flesh puckery only when not fully ripe. Ripe fruits have bright orange, sweet, flesh which is rich and soft. Makes an excellent pudding.

#### POMEGRANATE

**Wonderful.** A large ornamental shrub or small tree with showy red flowers followed by attractive round red fruits consisting of a hard outer shell full of small deep red, juicy seed sacs. They are tasty in salads and make fine juice and syrup. \$1.75 each.

#### **PLUMS**

4 to 6 ft. Trees, No. 1 Stock, each \$1.75

**Damson.** One of the best plums for jams and preserves. The small purple fruits are slightly tart, having an amber flesh that assumes a delightful rich plum color when cooked.

**Green Gage.** A favorite plum for many unsurpassed qualities such as rich flavor, excellent texture of flesh, juicy and fine flavored. Pleasing aroma.

Satsuma. Deep blood-red fruits. Not very large but of fine quality and flavor. August.

Santa Rosa. Most popular of the red fleshed plums. Skin maroon; flesh amber and heavily streaked with crimson. Very delicious.

One of the best.



PEACH, RIO OSO GEM

#### **PRUNES**

4 to 6 ft. Trees, No. 1 Stock, each \$1.75

French Improved. The standard prune for drying. Fruits are large and deep purple. September.

**Standard.** Large fruits with tender amber colored juicy flesh. Delicious when eaten fresh. Attractive deep purple. August.

**Sugar.** Purple fruits, large, sweet and mild. Very fine in all sections and one of the best for home planting. August.

### QUINCE

4 to 6 ft. Trees, No. 1 Stock, each \$1.75

**Pineapple.** Round golden yellow fruits with short necks. The fragrance of pineapple is prominent when fully ripe. October.

### Nut Trees

**ALMONDS**4 to 6 ft. Trees, No. 1 Stock, each \$1.75

Jordanolo. A new variety similar to the Ne Plus Ultra but with smoother kernels.

Ne Plus Ultra. Popular large soft shelled variety. Often used as a pollenizer to increase the crops on other almonds.

**Texas.** Kernels small, very tasty. Much used in candy and other culinary purposes calling for almond meats.

#### SWEET CHESTNUTS

\$2.50 each

A handsome shade tree of medium size and making a full round head. The nuts are excellent for roasting or with roasted meat, being sweet and fine flavored.

#### **PECANS**

\$4.00 each

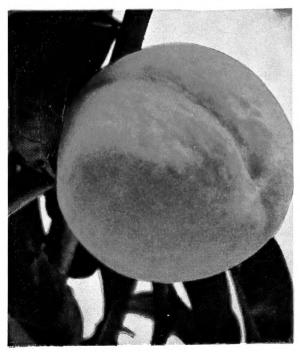
We offer only the varieties best suited for southern California.

#### WALNUTS

\$3.50 each

**Franquette.** Nuts large, elongated and oval in shape with large meats of splendid quality.

**Placentia.** A prolific producing tree. Nuts of medium size, round or oval in shape with thin shells. Easily shelled.



NECTAR PEACH



STRAWBERRY, ROCKHILL

### BERRIES

For the small backyard garden no fruits are as valuable to the home gardener as this. Berries take little room if properly trained. Along the boundaries of the garden a fence-like trellis will support a number of vines. Planting them two to three feet apart, one can readily determine the number of plants his garden will accommodate. Plant a variety. Strawberries will do well in beds or borders of the vegetable garden. Plant these about a foot apart in 2 to 4 or more rows. Grapes require more room. All can be trained as vines to cover porches, arbors and the like, but only the European grapes will stand dwarfing by pruning back to the trunk each spring.

### **STRAWBERRIES**

25 for \$1.00; per 100, \$3.50, except Rockhill

Blakemore. Large early berry of fine quality and flavor.

**Dorsett.** Productive large early berry. Extra quality flavor and firm texture.

**Gem Everbearing.** Beautiful sweet berries, continue on through fall, after other berries have finished bearing.

**Klondike.** Extensively grown in warm climates. Healthy green foliage and firm fleshed deep red berries.

**Mastodon.** Everbearing, Good crop through summer and fall. Fruits first season.

**Rockhill.** Finest flavored of all everbearing berries. This type does not make runners. Doz. \$1.75.

### **RASPBERRY**

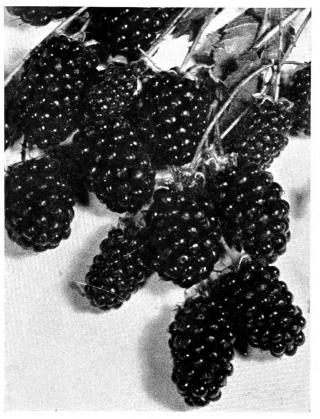
35c each; doz., \$3.50.

**Cuthbert** (Red Raspberry). The large deep red fruits are delicious, tender and fine flavored.

Munger (Black Cap). Large delicious fruits.

**Sodus Purple.** Tart flavor makes fine jellies and pie. Crops ripens until fall.

**Golden Gem** (Yellow Raspberry). Novelty with golden yellow berries. Attractive, unusual and tasty.



BOYSENBERRIES

# Thornless Berries are Best for the Home Garden . . . .

The following four varieties are all the newest types available. Heavy bearing and without thorns they will not scratch or tear your clothing.

**Cameron Berry.** A truly delicious blackberry, almost seedless, with soft edible core. Excellent with sugar and cream as a dessert or make into jelly. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

**Boysenberry** (Thornless). Like the older Boysenberry in quality and production of large luscious berries but without thorns. Each 35c; doz., \$3.50.

**Loganberry** (Thornless) (Pat. 82). Vigorous vines with heavy crops of dark red delicious berries. One of the best for making juices or for drying. Each 40c; doz. \$4.00.

**Youngberry** (Thornless). Fine flavored deep purple berries. Almost seedless and of fine flavor. Vines vigorous and very productive. Each 35c; doz., \$3.50.

### **ASPARAGUS**

Paradise. Heavier crops of tastier asparagus are obtained from this new variety. Rust-resistant. Doz., 50c; 100, \$3.50.

### RHUBARB

**Cherry** or **Strawberry.** Both are excellent kinds for the home garden. Large divisions. Each, 30c; doz., \$3.00.

### HOW TO PLANT FRUITS. BERRIES. ASPARAGUS

TREES should be planted as soon as possible after they arrive. Keep moist until planted. Do not expose roots unnecessarily to sun or wind. If not planted immediately "heelint" in moist

wet burlap or wet newspaper until planting holes are ready.

PRUNE all broken roots with a sharp knife or pruning shears. Make a clean cut—they heal quickly. Never pull broken pieces off.

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SPREAD roots out in a natural position and tamp soil firmly about roots. Water well. PRUNE THE TOP GROWTH. Young trees may have from one to several small twigs when planted.

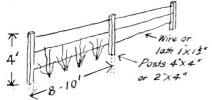
These develop into the main branches later on.

It is important to carefully select the branches to leave so that the top of the tree will be well balanced, sturdy and strong. Heavy bearing trees should be disbudded for larger, finer flavored fruits.



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**BERRIES** may be planted as hedges, but sprawly kinds like blackberries (Boysen, Young, and Logan) are better trained on trellises. Their dense growth covers the trellis and fruits appear on the surface.



STRAWBERRIES.

soil.

Space I ft. apart each way. For the home garden 3 feet is a good width of bed any length—

for wider beds allow walk at 3-foot intervals.



Strawberries used as cover on dry wall. Plant in intersections of blocks in good soil. Face sun.

ASPARAGUS. Plant in furrows or trenches. Roots should be 6 to 8 in. deep, but when planted cover only 2 to 3 in. and later in season fill in the remainder. Cut very lightly second season; full crop third year.



# Special Prize Offer to Our Customers:

### No. 267. A Brand New Rose Never Before Offered for Sale!

Open to Every Customer Closing Date, February 25, 1945

No. 267 is a lovely red rose, a rose with such fragrance it will remind you of the sweetest rose you ever smelled. This rose is very double, from well-formed buds. Truly superb.

It will first be offered for sale, January, 1946

### The Prize for the Name Selected for This Rose:

Your choice of One Dozen roses from our catalog. We will include three plants of this new rose with the prize.



Our New No. 267 . . . Who will give it a name?

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BRUNFELSIA FLORIBUNDA (See Page 12)



HIBBERTIA VOLUBILIS (See Page 22)



PLANT PATENT 346

### BERRIES FOR CHRISTMAS

Christmas season our eyes center on all red berries. Every kind on the market is being advertised and shown. Out of these, we prefer Pyracantha Duvali.

We have grown this variety and shown it here in Pasadena for the past five years. We do not claim this to be the darkest berry, but it is the best **RED** berry and never fails to catch the eye. It is the biggest clustering berry—it has resisted all diseases.

It is not a berry birds will not eat. However, we have yet to find one that will not attract birds. But there is a distinction among berries. Pyracantha Duvali, although red, is not ripe until after Christmas. Being sour, the birds will not touch the berries until after Christmas, when they are ripened.

Beautiful plants in gallon cans—loaded with berries— at \$1.25; 5-gal., \$3.00.

For delivery of well berried plants for the Christmas Season be sure to place your order well before December 1.